

CT from the next driving stage. The controller 720 provides the second ground voltage VSS2 to the first node Q in response to a switching signal output from the inverter 130.

[0242] The controller 720 includes a first control transistor T4, a second control transistor T9, a third control transistor T10, and a capacitor Cb.

[0243] The first control transistor T4 is connected between the input terminal IN and the first node Q, and includes a first control end and a second control end connected together with the input terminal IN.

[0244] The second control transistor T9 is connected between the first node Q and the second ground terminal V2, and includes a first control end and a second control end connected together with the control terminal CT.

[0245] The third control transistor T10 is connected between the first node Q and the second ground terminal V2, and includes a control end connected to a second node A.

[0246] The capacitor Cb is connected between the output terminal OUT and a control end of the controller 720 (e.g., the first node Q).

[0247] The inverter 130 outputs a switching signal to the second node A. The inverter 130 includes first to fourth inverter transistors T12, T7, T13, and T8.

[0248] The first inverter transistor T12 includes an input end, a control end and an output end. The input end and the control end of the first inverter transistor T12 are commonly connected to the clock terminal CK, and the output end of the first inverter transistor T12 is connected to a control end of the second inverter transistor T7. The second inverter transistor T7 includes an input end connected to the clock terminal CK, an output end connected to the second node A, and a control end connected to the output end of the first inverter transistor T12.

[0249] The third inverter transistor T13 includes an output end connected to the output end of the first inverter transistor T12, a first control end connected to the carry terminal CR, a second control end connected to the bias voltage terminal VB, and an input end connected to the second ground terminal V2. The fourth inverter transistor T8 includes an output end connected to the second node A, a first control end connected to the carry terminal CR, a second control end connected to the bias voltage terminal VB, and an input end connected to the second ground terminal V2. In an alternative exemplary embodiment, first control ends of the third and fourth inverter transistors T13 and T8 may be connected to the output terminal OUT.

[0250] The pull-down unit 740-1 includes a first pull-down transistor T2. The first pull-down transistor T2 is connected between the output terminal OUT and the first ground terminal V1, and includes a control end connected to the control terminal CT.

[0251] The pull-down unit 740-2 includes a second pull-down transistor T17. The second pull-down transistor T17 is connected between the carry terminal CR and the second ground terminal V2, and includes a control end connected to the control terminal CT.

[0252] The holding unit 750-1 includes a first holding transistor T3. The first holding transistor T3 is connected between the output terminal OUT and the first ground terminal V1, and includes a control end connected to the second node A.

[0253] The holding unit 750-2 includes a second holding transistor T11. The second holding transistor T11 is con-

nected between the carry terminal CR and the first ground terminal V1, and includes a control end connected to the second node A.

[0254] Among transistors in the driving stage SRCi'1 shown in FIG. 15, the second output transistor T15, the first control transistor T4, the second control transistor T9, the third inverter transistor T13 and the fourth inverter transistor T8 are 4-terminal transistors, threshold voltages of which may be adjusted.

[0255] In such an embodiment, each of the second output transistor T15, the first control transistor T4, the second control transistor T9, the third inverter transistor T13 and the fourth inverter transistor T8 further includes the second control end in addition to the input end, the output end and the first control end.

[0256] In an exemplary embodiment shown in FIG. 15, the second output transistor T15, the first control transistor T4, the second control transistor T9, the third inverter transistor T13 and the fourth inverter transistor T8 are 4-terminal transistors, but not being limited thereto. In an alternative exemplary embodiment, at least one of the second output transistor T15, the first control transistor T4, the second control transistor T9 and the fourth inverter transistor T8 may not be a 4-terminal transistor.

[0257] A structure and a threshold voltage change of the 4-terminal transistors are the same as those described above with reference to FIG. 6 and FIG. 7, and any repetitive detailed description thereof will be omitted.

[0258] FIG. 16 is a timing diagram of signals of a display device according to an alternative exemplary embodiment.

[0259] As shown in FIG. 16, a first clock signal CKV and a second clock signal CKVB may be signals having phases inverted from each other. The first clock signal CKV and the second clock signal CKVB may have a phase difference of about 180°. The first clock signal CKV and the second clock signal CKVB respectively have a low level VL-C, a voltage level of which is low, and a high level VH-C, a voltage level of which is relatively high. The high level VH-C may have a voltage level of about 10 V. The low level VL-C may have a voltage level of about -14 V. The low level VL-C may have the same voltage level as the second ground voltage VSS2.

[0260] One frame period includes a period, during which a voltage level of an i-th gate signal G[i] is the low level VL-G, and a period, during which a voltage level of the i-th gate signal G[i] is the relatively high level VH-G. The low level VL-G of the i-th gate signal G[i] may be the same voltage level as the first ground voltage VSS1. The low level VL-G may be about -12 V.

[0261] During some periods, the i-th gate signal G[i] may have the same voltage level as the low level VL-C of the first clock signal CKV or the second clock signal CKVB. A low level VL-C of the first clock signal CKV or the second clock signal CKVB is output by a pre-charged first node Q before the i-th gate signal G[i] reaches the high level VH-G.

[0262] The high level VH-G of the i-th gate signal G[i] may have the same level as the high level VH-C of the first clock signal CKV or the second clock signal CKVB.

[0263] The i-th carry signal CR[i] may have the low level VL-C having a low voltage level and the high level VH-C having a relatively high voltage level. Since the i-th carry signal CR[i] is generated based on the first clock signal CKV, the i-th carry signal CR[i] has a voltage level that is the same as or similar to the first clock signal CKV.